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*Previous references.*

Leg. 34-10

File No. ~~Legis 39~~ 39-

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Serial Nos. 1—8

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*Later references.*

Legis 33-12 1-2
Pal 149-23 (1-5)
" 96-26 (1-3)

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# GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

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*Serial Nos.* 1-8

**Part B for** Dec. 12

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SUBJECT.

Modification of the notification notifying the killing or capture of male bison for five years from 1st July 1911

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1) No 2527 dt 1.3.12. To the D.G. of Police

Calls for certain papers regarding the extension of the period of protection to certain species of game & requests him to furnish information about the Game & Fish Preservation Association

2) From the DG. of Police no 3713/452 dt 16.3.12

Forwards the papers called for & promises to furnish the required information later on.

3) To the Conservator of Forests no 3404 dt 16.5.12

Requests

GPB—5,000—22-10-10

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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

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NOTES.

File No. 39-11

FILE HEADING.

Protection to bison under the Rule 3 of the Game Rules

From :

| No. | Dated | Received |
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| Diary No. | Enclos. | Spare Copies. | Serial No. |
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BRIEF ABSTRACT OF LETTER.

NOTES AND ORDERS.

P.T.O.



GPB—30,000—12-8-11.

Sub D Secy

The Diwan wishes
to see the file Endorsg
to the notification
No J 288 - Legis 24-10-4
dg 4th July 1911 prohibiting
the shooting of bisons
for 5 years from
July 1914 ZY
24/2/12

M
Patrick, please
CS
24/2/12
3 Plans put up
SH

File seen 4
24/2/12 SH Subd to Secy
24/2/12 SH 24/2/12
P.T.O

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## Routine Notes.

[To be used only for notes, requisitions, etc., not intended for permanent record.]

3 The Dewan wishes to know the particulars relating to the organization of the Mysore Game & Fish Preservation Association, Bangalore.

6 In para 3 of his letter No. 743 I & 23rd June 09 the Resident requests to be represented from the North Mysore Canara Association the killing of which the Dewan would like to see the representation early.

24/12/12

GPB—85,000—21-4-09

N. B—Should routine notes be written on small slips, the notes must be copied or slips pasted on this form.

G. R. S. 12 ]
General and Revenue Secretariat.

Legis File No. 39 of 19 11-12

| Serial No. | |
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| | Submitted with a draft to the I.G. of Police calling for the papers &c. 29/4/12 |
| | 9 2 Sec 28 29/2/12 |
| 1 | No J 2527 dated 1/3/12 to the I.G. of Police Requests him to forward in original the opinion of the Officers consulted re extending the period of protection to certain species of game and asks for certain information in connection with the formation of the Game and Fish Preservation Assocation and the North Mysore Planters' Association |
| 2 | No 3713 dated 16/3/12 From the I.G. of Police Forwards the opinion in original and as for the 2nd point informs that the D.C. Hassan has been written to and his reply would be communicated as soon as it is received. |
| | Submitted. The position comme- |

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GPB—50,000—12-8-10

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General and Revenue Secretariat.

Legis File No. 39 of 1911-12

| Serial No. | |
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| | nisation proposed by the I. G. of Police may be awaited |
| | CL (58) SW (11) 22/3/12 25/3/12 11 gas RK 25.3.12 |
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## Routine Notes.

[To be used only for notes, requisitions, etc., not intended for permanent record.]

Submitted.
The file re prohibition of bison shooting for a period of 5 years is herewith put up. Some information about the organization of the Game and Fish Preservation Association was called for and the I. G. of Police has promised states that he has written to the D. C. Hassan for the information and would send the same as soon as it is received. A reminder has been issued to day.

(S8)
27/4/12

Subd to Asst Secy for information.

SV(11)
27/4/12

[Action directed has been taken]

Correct
Mayr

Incorrect. The Ass't is in Katwa Distt. The address is Konkala loo P.O. Katwa Distt — See Mr Hugh Watson's letter dated 1 May 12

1/5/12

17/5/12

27/4/12

To Mr Superintendent, Dewan's Mrs

SV
27/4/12

To Mr Campbell + Also a draft approved by Dewan 11.5.12 005

N. B.—Should routine notes be written on small slips, the notes must be copied, or slips pasted on this form.

Vide DO reply — for issue

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Burning has been prohibited by Govt. -
I Campbell inquired officially for this authority -
Has not the Collector replied & received reply - Please find out

[illegible]

Submitted

I beg to say that I looked into the D.O. Registers for the past year & have not found any reference on the subject - If permitted I shall get the office files from Bangalore - Yr Obedt Servt
HR 25.4.12

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D. O. No. 291/18 1 file

R. H. Campbell Esq
165
Pall Mall S.W.
The Marshalls

Ootacamund
1st May 1912

My dear Sir,

I return herewith Mr Theo-bald's letter to you dated 17th April 1912 about Bi son shooting — what you handed over to me the other day —

2 You spoke or wrote to me on the same subject some time ago — I looked into the papers & satis-fied myself that there was no mis-take in the matter but I

am sorry to find
that no communi-
cation was ad-
dressed to you -

3 Please see the
file below, viz,
No 34 - 10 Part
B for November 1911 -
It will shew to
you that on the
5th inst representa-
tion of the Mysore
Planters' Asso-
ciation supported
by the Dy of Police
killing or capture
of whale bison was
prohibited for a period
of 5 years in notifn
No J 288 dated
19th July 1911 - Connclns

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D.O. No. 7376

Fern Hill, Ooty

4th May 1912.

My dear Sir,

With reference to your D.O.No.291 dated 1st May 1912 I am directed to point out that the prohibition of Bison shooting appears, from the papers, to be based on the mere assertion of a Planters' association made with reference to one portion of the Mysore Province. No general enquiry seems to have been made in order to verify this assertion nor were the Conservator of Forests and the Game Preserve Officer consulted on the point. His Highness also does not understand why his sanction was not obtained before the prohibition was issued. The preservation of game and the provision of reasonable facilities for big game shooting is a subject in which His Highness is keenly interested and he feels very strongly that the prohibition should not have been issued without a reference to him.

I am now desired to request that a full enquiry may be made by the Conservator of Forests as to the scarcity or otherwise of Bison in the different Forests of the

Province and as to the necessity for continuing the prohibition either universally or in certain selected Forests. The Conservator's report may be eventually submitted for His Highness' orders.

Yours sincerely,

T.Ananda Rao, Esq.,C.I.E.,

Dewan of Mysore,

Anandashram.

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General and Revenue Secretariat.

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Serial No.

3 No J 3404 dated 16/8/12
To The Conservator of Forests
Requests him to make a full enquiry as to the scarcity or otherwise of bison in the different ~~forests~~ parts of the State and as to the necessity of continuing the ~~protection~~ prohibition either universally or in certain selected forests and to submit his views in the matter.

4 No 4916/546 dated 5th June 12
From the I.G. of Police
Submits information re the organization of the Game and Fish Preservation Association
Submitted

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This information was called for in Sl 1 of this file. The report of the Conservator of Forests called for in Sl 3 above may be awaited.

Case timely reminded
8/6/12

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General and Revenue Secretariat.

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Serial No. 5

No 16625 dated 26/6/12
From the Conservator of Forests
Forwards copies of letters Nos 1680
and 329 dated 29/5/12 and 11/6/12
from the Dy Forest Officer in
Mysore on the subject and
recommends the withdrawal of the
prohibition against shooting bison
and ~~suspt~~ the restriction of the number
to be shot.

19 Submitted

The Conservator of Forests
recommends that male bison
may also be treated just like
antelope i.e. instead of prohibiting
altogether shooting of bison altogether
for ~~the next~~ 5 years i.e. till 19/7/1917
he recommends that the prohibition
be removed but ~~only to~~ each licensee
may be allowed to shoot only 2 male
bison during the year. This
may be done by omitting para 2 of
clause (1) of Rule 3 of the Rules
under the Game and Fish Preservation
Regn as amended by Note No 9288-Legis
34-10-4 dated 19/7/11 and by adding
the words "~~and~~ or male bison" after

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Yes — the word ~~Antelope~~ "antelope" in line 2 of ~~Rule~~ the 1st para of clause (1) of Rule 3 and the addition of the words and not more than two male bison after the word "chinkarra at the end of the first sentence and the word and "male bison" after the word

More words may perhaps be better added after "granted" in line 3

Yes — "bucks" in the first line of the second sentence, of clause (2) above of Rule 3. The corrections suggested are made in pencil in the Rules. The Game Preserves Officer has also recommended the imposition of an additional fee of Rs 25/- for the 1st bison shot at and Rs 38/- for every subsequent bison and the compelling of the license holder to take with him at his cost a forest Guard. The conservator of forests does not recommend the adoption of this suggestion.

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(58) SW 29/6/12

(111) The proposals for amending the Game Rules referred to by the Game Preserves Officer are contained in Legis-12-01-3

1/7/12

W (1) The Game and fish preservation Association is now laid

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to be in a moribund condition, as most of the leading Sportsmen who took an interest in the association are now residing in England. Please see Mr Park's letter to the Comr Idar & Manjanabad, dated 26th April 1912

(2) The Conservator of Forests, the Game Preservation officer and the Dist Forest officer Kadur are of opinion that the notification prohibiting the killing of male bison may be withdrawn but recommend that a limit be fixed on the number that may be shot

2 Effect may be given to this suggestion by amending Rule 3 of the rules as shown in pencil on the printed copy of the rules

3 The further restrictions proposed by the Game Preservation officer will perhaps be felt irksome by Sportsmen who visit Mysore during a short holiday

The Conservators letter is silent on this point. Evidently he is not keen about having them

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1/7/12

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The prohibition against bison shooting may be removed subject to the restrictions proposed by the Conservator (when His Highness has ordered that the Conservator's report should be submitted to him.)

Major Campbell-Walker dy 4/5/12 (page 15 of the notes)

5740. 1st 2nd Comptroller. 12/8/12

Dewan.

25 14/8/12

I have no particular view to offer. Is there no feeling involved that Bison which are so nearly allied to domestic cattle should not be killed? In the interests of those who desire such sport, the rule may be relaxed as proposed ± ~~the~~. Of course we should guard against indiscriminate slaughter or eventual extinction.

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The Rules may be relaxed
in the Limes proposed.

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20/8/12

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*Submitted to His Highness.*

With reference to Mr. Campbell's D.O.No. 384 dated 4th May 1912 in the matter of the prohibition of shooting male bison, requesting that a full inquiry may be caused to be made about the scarcity or otherwise of this game in the different forests and the necessity for continuing the prohibition either universally or in certain selected forests, I submit herewith the report received from the Conservator on the subject (No.10625 dated 26th June 1912).

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2. The Conservator forwards copies of letters from the District Forest Officer, Kadur, and the Game Preserves Officer in Mysore, whom he has consulted, and states that on his personal knowledge he is unable to say that there is dearth of bison in our forests, that they are fairly plentiful in all the high forests along the southern and western frontier and that the existing prohibition may in his opinion be withdrawn, and in doing so, he suggests that no licensees be permitted to shoot more than two heads.

Enclosure to "G".

3. The Game Preserves Officer has recommended

Record of Cases submitted for the Orders of His Highness the Maharaja

*Subject.*

Amendment of the rules regulating the shooting of Bison in the Mysore Forests.

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Returned with D.O. No. 110 S 7.9.12

*Order.*

D. O. No. 2192/91.

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The Palace, Mysore.

8th September 1912.

My dear Sir,

In returning file No.555 dated 28-8-12 I am directed to say that His Highness agrees with you that the prohibition against bison shooting may be cancelled. But he would limit the number of bison to be shot by each licensee. The number may be fixed at two as suggested by the Conservator. Such a limitation will not in any way complicate the Rules.

Yours sincerely,

R. Campbell

Ananda Rao, Esq., C.I.E.,
Dewan of Mysore,
Bangalore.

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Submitted with a draft notn

(S.B.)
13/9/12

Read 16/9/12 98 Please put up a typed draft as revised :—

(1) No change is necessary in Sub-para 1 of para

(2) The Expression in all" will have to be transposed elsewhere as it in the amended rule it will refer to both basin and locks. It may be placed immediately after Shoal" as indicated in the draft.

[Please show the changes in a neat printed copy also]

16/9/12

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GPE—6[illegible],000—17-6-12.

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General and Revenue Secretariat.

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| 29 | Submitted with a typed copy of the draft and the proposed changes have been shown in a copy of the present Rules as ordered |
| 3455-11 | (58) 18/9/12 |
| | 20/9/12 |
| | The assistance is required to Kindly bring up in person 23/9 23/9/12 |
| 30 | As a result of personal discussion I have further revised the draft by retaining the second sub-para of para (1) of rule 3 so that the prohibition is retained, para 2 of the |

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rule allows the Shooting of not more than two bison under a license

~~of rule regarding antelope~~

[Cf. provision regarding antelope and black buck in the same rule]

Subd Sec'y admitted

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& Dewan

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GPB—65,000—17-6-12.

Draft approved by Dewan 30.9.12

Issue at once please

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General and Revenue Secretariat. | File No. 39 of 191

| Serial No. | |
|---|---|
| 6 | To the Compiler Mysore Gazette No. |
| | G 1008 dt 1-10-12. |
| | Gazette dt 3 Oct 12 Part III Page 73 |
| | No. Notifies the amendments No G 1009 dated 1/10/12 to the conservator of Forests Forwards copy of the above. |
| | The foot note to the notification was added when the proofs were corrected. In the Gazette the asterisk is not printed at the proper place. Hence a proof of an 'erratum' notification is submitted as ordered. |
| | AS 6a 4/10/12 |
| | 37 |
| | 7/10/12 |
| 7 | Gazette dt 10 Oct 12 Part III. Page-74. |
| | No G 1063 dated 8/10/12 |
| | To the Compiler Mysore Gazette |
| | Publishes an erratum note re the asterisk wrongly placed in note above. |
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| | Submitted in original |
| | The opinions of the Dt Magistrate Conservator of Forests, the Mysore Game and Fish Preservation Association and North Planters Association on the question of extending the protection to certain game, received with |

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General and Revenue Secretariat. Legn File No. 39 of 1911-12

| Serial No. | |
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| | letter No 3713/452 dated 16th March 1912 ~~have to be put~~ from the I. G. of Police have to be returned to him. A draft docket is herewith put up. |
| | ~~ok~~ (58) 25/11/12 |
| 8. | To the I.G. of Police ...no 1501 dt 2-12-12. Returns the file of his office received with R. 2. Supra. |

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Serial No. /

*Diary No. of letter replied to*_____

No. J 250

General and Revenue Secretariat

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To

The Inspector General of Police in Mysore

Date of issue 1-3-12

Signed by Mr S. Hariyannaiya.

Sir

I am directed to invite your attention to your letter No 7431/709 dated 23rd June 1911 ~~forwarding~~ submitting ~~your~~ report as to the ~~desirability~~ desirability of further extending the period of protection to certain Species of Game, and to request you to be so good as to forward at a

*over.*

SUBJECT.

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very early date the opinions
left to them.
in original of the Dc Magistrate
Conservator of Forests, the
Mysore Game and Fish Preservation
Association and the North
Mysore Planters Association
~~called to be therein~~
~~on which the report is based~~ ~~was stated to have been~~
based by you. relating to information
I have &c
for Secretary to Govt.

regarding taken from the records of the Dept. may also be drawn
for the Secretariat in the Department of Forests
for information of Hon'ble Chief
Secretary to Govt. with
if necessary, in regard to the
letter.

*List of enclosures,*

*Copied by* BJ 29/2

*Examined by* [illegible] 29/2

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FROM

*The Inspector-General of*
*Police in Mysore.*

To

*The Secretary to the Govt. of*
*H. H. the Maharaja of Mysore,*
*Gen. & Rev. Depts*

Dated 16-3-12
Despatched
Received

General No. 3713/452
No.

Enclosure No (11)

~~Herewith~~ I submit the communication read from certain officers furnishing their opinion in the matter of renewing the protection afforded to antelope

J 2436.

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Serial 2

No. 373/452 E(11) Office of the Inspector-General of Police in Mysore,
Dated Bangalore, 16 March 190-- 1912

From

C.Srikantesvara Aiyar Esquire, B.A., B.L.,

Offg. *Inspector-General of Police in Mysore.*

To

C.S. Balasundaram Aiyar Esquire, B.A.,

Offg. *Secretary to the Government of H.H. the Maharaja of Mysore, General and Revenue Departments.*

Sir,

1. Letter No.1729 dated 3-4-1911 from the District Magistrate, Bangalore
2. ---do--No.8153 dated 12-4-1911 from the ---do---, Kolar.
3. ---do--No.509 dated 20-4-1911 from the ---do---, Tumkur(with enclosure)
4. ---do--No.6344 dated 1-4-1911 from the ---do---, Mysore.
5. ---do--No.331 dated 2-5-1911 from the ---do---, Hassan.
6. ---do--No.4876 dated 4-4-1911 from the ---do---, Shimoga.
7. ---do--No.1218 dated 22-4-1911 from the ---do---, Kadur(with enclosures)
8. ---do--No.472 dated 27-4-1911 from the ---do---, Chital-drug.
9. ---do--No.886 dated 27-4-1911 from the Conservator of Forests in Mysore.
10. ---do--dated 20-6-1911 from the Mysore Game and Fish Preservation Association.
11. ---do--No.1295 dated 10-5-1911 from the District Magistrate, Kadur with enclosure letter dated 3-5-1911 from the North Mysore Planters Association.

With reference to your letter No.J.2527/ Police dated the 1st instant asking me to for-ward to you in original the opinions of the District Magistrates &c, I have the honor to forward herewith the original communications received from the marginally noted officers furnishing their opinion in the matter of renewing the protection afforded to antelopes &c.

2. As regards the information referred to in the concluding portion of your letter, the Deputy Commissioner, Hassan has been addressed and on receipt

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receipt of his reply the same will be duly communicated.

I have the honor to be,

sir,

Your most obedient servant,

C. Sivakumaraiya

Offg. Inspector-General of Police.

Legis 39-11-3

J 3404/Legis 916-5-12

To

The Conservator of Forests.

Sir,

I am directed to invite your attention to Notification No.J.288/Legis.34 10-4 dated 19th July 1911 prohibiting the killing or capture of male bison for a period of 5 years with effect from the 19 July 1911. The prohibition was based on the representation of the North Mysore Planters' Association.

Signed by
S. Srinivasamurthy

2. It has since been suggested to Government that the prohibition of bison shooting throughout the State was not necessary on the mere assertion of the Planters' Association made with reference to one portion of the Mysore Province, and without the Conservator of Forests and the Game Preserves Officer being consulted on the point and that a full general inquiry should now be made as to the scarcity or otherwise of this game in the different forests of the State, and as to the necessity for continuing the prohibition either universally or

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J3243

OFFICE OF THE INSPECTOR-GENERAL OF POLICE IN MYSORE,

No. 1944 Enclosure 546 *Dated Bangalore,* 5th June 1912.

FROM

Srikantesvara Aiyar Esquire, B.A., B.L.,

Offg. *Inspector-General of Police in Mysore.*

To

K.R. Srinivasa Iyengar Esquire, M.A.,

Offg. *Secretary to the Government of H. H. the Maharaja of Mysore, General and Revenue Departments.*

Sir,

With reference to your letter No. J.2527/Police dated the 1st March 1912 and in continuation of para 2 of my letter No. 3713/452 dated 16-3-1912 in re the organization of the Game and Fish Preservation Association, Saklespur, I have the honor to forward herewith for the information of Government copy of letter dated 26-4-1912 from Mr.A.R. Park of Batchanahalla estate, Hanbal, to the Amildar, Manjarabad Taluk received with letter No.320 dated 17-5-1912 from the District Magistrate, Hassan.

I have the honor to be,

sir,

Your most obedient servant,

Pro.Asst. Commissioner of Police

In Offg.Inspector-General of Police.

Absent from station.

III 6/6 Secy. 1078/6 J 324 3

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FROM

*The Inspector-General of*
*Police in Mysore.*

To

*The Secretary to the Govt. of*
*H. H. the Maharaja of Mysore,*
*Gen. & Rev. Depts.*

Dated 5th June 1912

Despatched

Received

General No. 4914
No. 546

Enclosure No. One

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Re organization of the Game and Fish Preservation Association, Saklespur.

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GPB—300—1-12-11

Enclosure 5 Lr 539-11-4 (c)

Letter dated 26th April 1912 from Mr. A.R.Park of Batchanahalla Estate, Hanbal, Hassan District, to the Amildar, Manjarabad Taluk.

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"I have the honor to tender you an apology for the delay in replying to your favours of 10th and 20th instant asking for information i.e., the organization of the Game and Fish Preservation Association.

I regret to state thatthe Association is at present in a moribund condition owing to principally to the fact that some of the original and most influential members now reside in England and there are not sufficient sportsmen and others in the District to take an interest in the Preservation of Game and Fish and support the association. However, if there are any subjects that require attention, I will gladly do what I can to get together a representative Committee of Sportsmen and others interested in the Preservation of Game and Fish".

* C O P Y *

for Offg.Inspector General of Police.

Enclosure to Apl 39-11-5

(13)

Copy of letter No. 1680 dated 29th May 1912 from the District Forest Officer, Kadur, to the Conservator of Forests

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With reference to your letter No. 9560-67 dated 25th May 1912, I have the honour state that Bison is met with in all the State Forests of this District, except in Hadikere, Thyagada-bogi and parts of Basavankote. I think that it is not necessary to close the shooting for the next 5 years, but to prevent over-shooting, it appears desirable to fix the number of heads for each license, say 2 or 3. It should also be strictly enforced that killing of male Bison in herds should be very cautiously made as several instances have come to my notice that bulls with hardly any head are shot, while at the same time, the shot may kill even the cows. Real sportsmen would naturally avoid shooting among herds but restrict themselves to solitary Bisons.

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Copy of letter No. 329 dated 11th June 1912 from the Office in charge of Game Preserves to the Conservator of Forests in Mysore, Bangalore.

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In reply to your No. 9559 dated the 23rd May 1912, forwarding copy of letter No. J. 3404/ Legis. dated the 16th May 1912, from the Secretary to the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore, General and Revenue Departments regarding the prohibition of shooting Male Bison for an early expression of my opinion, I have the honour to report that during my inspection of the Game Preserves, I have always come across several herds of bison, specially in the Mysore and Kadur Districts. They are also invariably seen in the Shanker, Hanagere and Sacrebyle State Forests and in portion of Sagar, Nagar and Thirthahally Taluks of the Shimoga District. In Hassan District, they generally confine themselves to the ghats. I am, therefore, of opinion that bisons are not getting scarce, but

on the other hand they are multiplying.

2. This Game is generally sought after by the European Shikaries and seldom by the Natives and so it is not possible to exterminate the species as long as cows are prohibited from being captured or killed. The bison may decrease in numbers, only if there should be a break of murrian amongst the wild animals as it was in the year 1903-04.

3. In each herd, there is invariably a big bull which is called the leader of the herd. Besides, there will be some young bulls which become solitary being driven out of the herd when they come to the fighting age, the victorious ones take the place of the leader and so there will be no hindrance for their breeding.

4. Statistics regarding the number of bisons shot every year are not available as the game license holders are not compelled by Game Laws to furnish a list of game shot, before they leave the Province or District. To avoid indiscriminate shooting of immature bulls by the license holders, I would suggest that in addition to the license fee, an extra fee of Rs 25/- for the first bison and Rs 35/- for every subsequent bison shot, may be levied, the wounded being taken to account. It should also be ruled that the Game license holders should give notice to the District Forest Officer or the Forest Sub Division Officer as the case may be, before they enter any Forest for shooting to enable the Forest Officers to issue necessary instructions to their subordinates. The license holders should also be enforced to take a Forest Guard along with them so long as they remain shooting in a forest, whose wages should be paid by them and to hand over the license togeth -er with a list showing the number and description of Game shot by them to the nearest Magistrate, Police Inspector or to the Forest Ranger before they leave the District.

5. Reference may kindly be made to the proposal submitted

J 1008/Legis 35-11-6. dt 1-10-12

# NOTIFICATION

In exercise of the powers conferred by the Mysore Game & Fish Preservation Regulation, 1901, the Govt of H.H. the Maharaja of Mysore are pleased to direct that Rule 3 of the Rules published with Notification No.9007-Legis 56 dated 11th December 1901 as amended by Notification No. J 288/Legis 34-10-4 dated 19th July 1911, be further amended as follows:-

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In para (1) of the Rule:-

The second sub-para beginning with the words "the killing" and ending with "Notification" shall be omitted.

In para (2) of the Rule :-

(a) In the first sentence between the words "granted" and "not" the words "not more than two male bison and" shall be added,

(b) The word "in all" occurring between the words "bucks" and "with" shall be omitted and the same words will be inserted between the words "shoot" and "within", and

(c) In the second sentence between the words "bucks" and "shot" the words "and of male bison" shall be added.

(14)

"~~within~~".

Rule 3 as now amended will read as follows:-

" Rule 3- (1) The killing or capture of birds with bright colored plumage, of pea-fowl and ( except as provided in para 2 of this rule) of antelope is prohibited for a further period ending with the 15th June 1914 .

(2) The District Magistrate may, on the application of the holder of a game license under these rules, grant written permission to such holders to shoot, in all, within the year for which the license was granted, not more than two male bison, and not more than two bucks with horns not less than 15 inches in the case of black buck and not less than 5 inches in the case of Chinkarra. A report of all bucks and of male bison shot shall be furnished to the District Magistrate by the license-holder without unreasonable delay.

" By Order "

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In the first sentence

(*a*) between the words "granted" and "not" the words "not more than two male bison and" shall be added.

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Rule 3 as now amended will read as follows:—

"Rule 3—(1) The killing or capture of birds with bright colored plumage of pea-fowl and (except as provided in para 2 of this rule) of antelope is prohibited for a further period ending with the 15th June 1914.

The killing or capture of male bison is prohibited for a period of five years commencing from the date of the issue of this notification.*

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By Order,

K. R. SRINIVASIENGAR,

*Officiating Secretary to Government, General and Revenue Departments.*

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## NOTIFICATION.

*No. J. 1063—Legis. 39-11-7, dated 8th October 1912.*

ERRATUM.

In Notification No. J. 1008—Legis. 39-11-6, dated 1st October 1912, further amending the rules under the Game and Fish Preservation Regulation and published in Part III of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 3rd October 1912, the following corrections shall be made:—

"The asterisk placed above '1914' in the third line of para (1) of amended rule 3 shall be omitted and placed above the word 'Notification' in the fifth line thereof."

By Order,

K. R. SRINIVASIENGAR,

*Officiating Secretary to Government, General and Revenue Departments.*